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**Subject**: RE: CSTAG - stakeholder presentation session

Karl,

Thanks. I will let the Berry's Creek consultant know that it's not appropriate for him to attend.

Michael Sivak 212.637.4310

From: Gustavson, Karl

**Sent:** Friday, February 16, 2018 8:19 AM **To:** Sivak, Michael <Sivak.Michael@epa.gov>

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Subject: RE: CSTAG - stakeholder presentation session

Michael,

There is always a lot of interest from a range of folks on attending the meetings, including many consultants. I excerpted the procedures for the Regions invitee list below. From my perspective, it's unclear why a Berry's consultant would be invited to the Upper Passaic meeting and it seems that any concerns about communications regarding another Region 2 site would be addressed by the Region.

"The EPA RPM will invite others that have had significant involvement with the site to give a short oral presentation to the CSTAG. This will normally include the lead state agency, lead PRP, lead trustee, tribes, and community groups. The state and tribal regulators and stakeholders should be sent invitations at least six weeks before the meeting. An example invitation letter is attached as Appendix B. The presentation should identify any issues important to the stakeholder. Each presentation should be no more than 20 minutes and allow 10 minutes for CSTAG questions. Invited stakeholders may elect to submit written comments instead."

Let me know if you want to discuss this further.

Thanks,

Karl

From: Sivak, Michael

**Sent:** Thursday, February 15, 2018 10:37 AM **To:** Gustavson, Karl < Gustavson, Karl@epa.gov>

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Karl,

One of the consultants for the Berry's Creek site is interested in attending the stakeholder presentation session on March 1. He is concerned that the CPG group will reference the interim remedy approach that is being implemented at the Berry's Creek site, and he would like to be there to hear what they say.

Is there a limit on who can attend these stakeholder presentations?

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